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In re Application of: Koichiro NAKATANI

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For: TELESCOPIC UNIT AND TRIPOD

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

April 28, 2003

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 22, 2003, please amend the above identified application as follows:

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